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C. H. STEELMAN FRUIT NURSERY

R. D. No. 3, PRINCETON, N. J.

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TERMS

All trees and plants are offered F. O. B. Clarksville, N. J. Packing free. A deposit of 25% is required with each order, the balance before delivery, or shipment will be made C. O. D. for the unpaid balance.

As we are centrally located, we suggest, if possible, you call for your order so as to prevent delays caused in shipping.

GUARANTEE

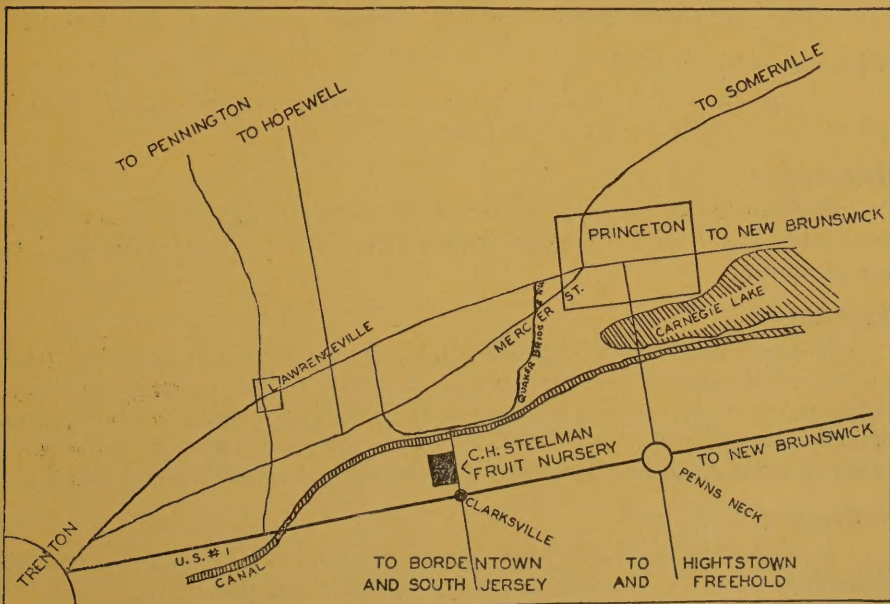
We guarantee to furnish healthy, vigorous, well grown trees or plants. We cannot be responsible for continued growth, after stock has been planted on grower's premises because such factors as faulty planting, poor soil conditions, lack of moisture, etc., are beyond our control.

All orders are accepted with the understanding that they shall be void should any injury befall our stock or should our operations be impaired by labor conditions or other conditions beyond our control.

Great care is used to avoid mistakes. In case any trees or plants prove to be untrue to the name under which they are sold, upon proper proof the original order will be replaced or the amount actually paid for such stock at the time of purchase will be refunded. The purchaser agrees to accept the stock on these terms.

LOCATION

Our nursery is located near Clarksville, N. J. on the Clarksville-Port Mercer Road, about $\frac{1}{4}$ mile from U. S. Highway No. 1. Telephone WALnut 4-2525.



PEACHES

Maybelle (N. J. 164)

A medium to large white fleshed semi-clingstone of good quality ripening a few days before Sunrise.

Cherryred (N. J. 129)

A large round yellow fleshed non-melting clingstone ripening four to five days before Red Bird.

Early East (N. J. 134)

A medium sized yellow semi-cling with good quality, firm flesh and red all over. It follows Sunrise in ripening.

Sunhaven

A recent Michigan introduction by Stanley Johnston. A medium to large, yellow, semi-cling, ripening just after Sunrise or approximately 10 days earlier than Redhaven. A firm, fine textured, productive peach.

Raritan Rose

A white freestone ripening a few days before Golden Jubilee. An excellent early white for roadside sales.

Golden Jubilee

Medium to large, yellow freestone of high quality, productive, and hardy. A good early variety for commercial planting as well as for roadside sales and home use.

Redhaven

Medium to large, midseason yellow freestone of high quality, good commercial and home peach ripening between Jerseyland and Triagem.

Wildrose (N. J. 118)

A large firm white fleshed freestone to follow Raritan Rose. A high colored peach with a clear white flesh of high quality.

Halehaven

Medium to large, midseason yellow freestone of high quality and color, productive and hardy. A good commercial peach particularly adapted to heavier soils.

Richhaven

A new introduction by Stanley Johnston of Michigan resulting from a cross of Redhaven and SH 50 (J. H. Hale X Halehaven). A large, vigorous, productive tree producing a large, bright colored, round, yellow fleshed freestone fruit. A possible substitute for Halehaven where the latter becomes too dark to be attractive. Worthy of trial in commercial plantings.

Redrose (N. J. 98)

A high colored white freestone of high quality of the Golden-east-Halehaven season. The tree is hardy, vigorous and productive.

Redglobe

Medium to large, very firm, midseason, yellow freestone with bright red and yellow skin color, fine texture and good flavor. Released by the U.S.D.A. in 1954 after several years of extensive tests. It has proven to be a high colored, attractive high quality peach in New Jersey.

Pacemaker

A large, firm, yellow variety ripening between Halehaven and Summercrest. The tree and fruit resembles J. H. Hale. Like Hale the flower is self-sterile and needs another variety for cross pollination.

Redcrest

A large, firm, yellow, complete freestone which is red all over. It ripens with Summercrest and M. A. Blake. Good commercial variety, however, may discolor around pit in some seasons. One of the most resistant varieties to peach canker.

Summerrose (N. J. 101)

A large oval white freestone of good quality to follow Redrose. It resembles Belle of Georgia in shape, but is a firmer and better peach.

Summercrest (N. J. 94)

A mild large yellow fleshed peach of superior quality ripening a few days before Elberta. An excellent canning and freezing peach.

Redskin

A University of Maryland introduction ripening with Elberta. A firm yellow, freestone with attractive red color and good size, with fine flavor. A possible replacement for Elberta.

Elberta

Medium to large, yellow freestone ripening in Central Jersey about Labor Day. Universally adapted to soil and environmental conditions. The nation's greatest planted variety.

J. H. Hale

Large, yellow freestone with excellent quality ripening just before Elberta. It is tender in the bud. Excellent for home canning. This variety is self sterile and needs pollination.

White Hale (N. J. 63)

A very large white fleshed freestone ripening with J. H. Hale. More vigorous than J. H. Hale and is self fruitful. A large showy white peach in the Elberta season.

Afterglow (N. J. 84)

A yellow freestone of high quality and large size immediately following Elberta. The tree is hardy, vigorous and productive.

Laterose (N. J. 109)

A white freestone large good quality hardy and productive ripening with White Hale or immediately following Elberta.

Rio Oso Gem

A large, firm, yellow freestone ripening about ten days after Elberta. Similar in many ways to J. H. Hale. A good commercial variety for South Jersey.

Fallate (N. J. 183)

A late white freestone of high quality and large size ripening a week to ten days after Elberta.

Autumn (N. J. 145)

A late yellow freestone ripening ten to fourteen days after Elberta and later than Rio Oso Gem.

Frostqueen (N. J. 185)

A very late white freestone ripening at least two weeks after Elberta or about Iron Mountain season. Better quality and more attractive than Iron Mountain.

Prices:

<i>Grade</i>	1-9	10-24	25-99	100-250
2-3 feet	—	—	\$0.85	\$0.80
3-4 feet	\$1.80	\$1.30	\$1.05	\$0.90
4-5 feet	\$1.80	\$1.30	\$1.05	\$0.90
5-6 feet	\$2.50	\$2.00	\$1.50	\$1.00

Write for prices on orders over 250 trees.

***If you are interested in the peach varieties introduced by the New Jersey Peach Council, write to the New Jersey Peach Council, R. D. No. 3, Princeton, N. J.

DWARF PEACHES

A limited number of *Golden Jubilee*, *Halehaven*, and *Elberta* (see preceding listing for description) are available on dwarfing rootstock. These trees will produce a satisfactory tree where space is a limiting factor.

Prices:

1 yr. 3 feet and up \$3.00 each

APPLES

Lodi

Very early, large, yellow apple similar to Yellow Transparent, ripening about the same season, but larger and firmer. A good cooking apple early in the season.

Williams Early Red

Very early, medium to large, red striped, productive apple. A good early dessert apple for the season. (Only 2 yr. trees available)

Red Gravenstein

Red sport of Gravenstein ripening at the same early season with the high quality for eating and cooking of Gravenstein. An excellent summer apple for commercial and home use.

Puritan

Massachusetts Experiment Station's introduction of an early McIntosh type apple ripening in early August in New Jersey. A large, firm solid red apple as grown in Massachusetts. Good quality for dessert and a very promising apple for trial.

Twenty Ounce

Summer apple, very large, productive, usually picked green for cooking and baking.

Opalescent

A large, very attractive, bright red apple generally harvested between Sept. 15 and Oct. 1 in central New Jersey. The trees are productive and the fruit generally commands top market prices when ripe.

Summer Rambo

An attractive, large, late summer apple of good quality. It may be harvested when still green and be suitable for cooking. When allowed to mature on the tree it develops red stripes and is suitable for both eating and cooking. The tree is strong, vigorous with large, thick, leathery leaves. It is productive and bears good crops annually.

Lobo

Medium to large red apple, similar to McIntosh but earlier, firmer, and hangs well to tree.

McIntosh

Medium to large fall apple, red, with a white, crisp, juicy flesh. Excellent dessert quality and used for sauce. A well known commercial and home variety.

Red Jonathan

A red sport of regular Jonathan. A medium sized apple of fine dessert quality, identical to Jonathan except it develops a solid red color. A good variety now that bagging has come into prominence. (Only 2 yr. trees available)

Cortland

Large, McIntosh type apple, striped to solid red, a good commercial or home variety where McIntosh does well. Stores well and is a good eating apple.

Vance Delicious

A red sport of Delicious developing a solid red color and maturing one week earlier than Double Red Delicious or most other Red Delicious sports.

Red Delicious

Large, red winter apple, of excellent quality for eating, crisp and juicy, a good variety for home and commercial planting.

Double Red Delicious

A red bud sport of Delicious with all of the good qualities of that popular variety. It may be harvested earlier and develops more red color than regular Delicious.

Yellow Delicious

An attractive, high quality, golden yellow apple. Excellent for cooking and eating.

Turley

A large, attractive, red apple of good quality ready to harvest about a week before Stayman. It does not crack like Stayman and develops more red color similar to but brighter than Paragon. It is an excellent cooking apple and superior to Paragon for eating. It is the most promising substitute for Stayman.

Stayman Winesap

Medium to large, red striped, winter apple, of excellent quality for cooking and eating, adapted to commercial and home planting.

Red Stayman

An attractive selection of the several red bud sports of Stayman. Identical to Stayman in tree and fruit character with the exception of developing more red color.

Rome Beauty

Large, yellow apple with red stripes, very productive, annual bearer. Exceptionally good for cooking and baking and one of the best apples for storage.

Red Rome

A red sport of Rome with all its characteristics plus the solid red color.

Jerseyred (N. J. No. 1)

Large red apple producing extra large fruits. Stores exceptionally well and has better quality than Rome. It will cook and bake better than Rome. For optimum color, do not overfertilize after the tree starts to produce.

Hyslop Crab Apple

Large, dark red, fruiting in clusters, very productive and excellent for preserves.

Red Fleshed Crab Apple

Large, red, with a reddish flesh, which produces an unusually attractive red jelly. It has an attractive red tinge to the foliage.

Prices:

Grade	1-9	10-24	25-99	Over 100
1 yr. 2-3 feet	\$1.50	\$1.10	\$0.85	\$0.65
1 yr. 3-4 feet	\$1.75	\$1.35	\$1.00	\$0.80
2 yr. 3-4 feet	\$1.75	\$1.35	\$1.00	\$0.80
2 yr. 4-5 feet	\$2.00	\$1.60	\$1.20	\$1.00
2 yr. 5-6 feet	\$2.50	\$2.00	\$1.50	\$1.10

***If you are interested in apple varieties on Hibernial rootstock and varieties introduced by the N. J. Apple Institute, write to the New Jersey Apple Institute, R.D. No. 3, Princeton, N. J.

DWARF APPLES

A limited number of *McIntosh* and *Stayman* are available on East Malling IX root stocks. This is a true very dwarf rootstock producing a very small tree. These dwarf apples are recommended only for back yard planting, where space is a limiting factor. Due to the poor root system E.M. IX produces, it is wise to support these trees with a post, trellis or against a building.

Prices:

1 yr.	3 feet	\$3.00 each
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There is a limited supply of *Yellow Delicious* on East Malling VII which produces a tree $\frac{1}{2}$ normal size. Also trees of *Yellow Delicious* and *Double Red Delicious* are available on East Malling II, which produces a tree $\frac{3}{4}$ to $\frac{1}{2}$ of the normal size. East Malling II rootstocks require a better drained soil than when East Malling VII is used.

Prices:

Grade	1-9	10-49	50-99
1 yr. 3 to 5 feet	\$2.50	\$2.00	\$1.50

PEARS

It is necessary to have two different varieties of pears to insure proper pollination. However, Bartlett and Seckel will not cross pollinate.

Bartlett

Large, golden yellow with a blush, widely adaptable, excellent for commercial and home canning, ripening about September 1st.

Anjou

Large, yellowish green, with prominent dots, excellent for home and commercial planting. Ripening after Bartlett in late September.

Bosc

Large, tapering necked, excellent quality, pleasant aroma, brownish yellow in color, productive and hangs well to the tree, ripening late in September.

Kieffer

Large, yellow with a blush, vigorous grower and more resistant to blight than most varieties, ripening in late September.

Seckel

The old favorite pear for pickling and dessert. A small to medium size, yellow brownish skin, with blush, productive pear, fairly resistant to fire blight.

Prices:

<i>Grade</i>		1-9	10-25
1 year	2-3 feet	\$1.60	\$1.40
1 year	3-4 feet	\$1.85	\$1.60
2 year	3-4 feet	\$1.85	\$1.60
2 year	4-5 feet	\$2.10	\$1.95
2 year	5-6 feet	\$2.50	\$2.10

SOUR CHERRIES

Montmorency

Large productive, vigorous, sour cherry. Excellent for pies, freezing and preserves.

Prices:

<i>Grade</i>	<i>Cal.</i>	1-9	10-24	25-49
1 yr.	7- 9/16 2-4 feet	\$2.00	\$1.65	\$1.25
2 yr.	9-11/16 3-5 feet	\$2.10	\$1.85	\$1.50
2 yr.	11/16 up 4-6 feet	\$2.50	\$2.10	\$1.75

SWEET CHERRIES

It is necessary to plant two or more varieties of sweet cherries to insure pollination and fruit set.

Black Tartarian

High quality, juicy, rich, sweet, large, reddish black cherry, excellent for canning, heavy producer, ripening in mid June.

Napoleon Bigarreau—(Royal Anne)

High quality, rich, sweet, large yellow cherry with a pink cheek, ripening in late June.

Windsor

Good quality, juicy, large, sweet, almost black cherry, a good producer, ripening in early July.

Prices:

<i>Grade</i>	1-9	10-25
2 yr. 4-5 feet	\$2.75	\$2.50

PLUMS

Stanley

Large, juicy, dark blue, flesh yellow green, good quality, ripening in early September.

Fellenberg (Italian Prune)

Medium sized, oval, juicy, dark purple, good quality for dessert and market, ripening in mid September.

Prices:

<i>Grade</i>	1-9	10-25
2 yr. 4-5 feet	\$2.50	\$2.00

CHESTNUTS

Chinese Chestnut

Resistant to the chestnut blight, bearing fruit varying in size from that of the American to that of the European.

At least two trees should be planted for cross pollination.

Prices:

<i>Grade</i>	1-9	10-25
2-3 feet	\$1.50	\$1.30
3-4 feet	\$1.75	\$1.60
4-5 feet	\$2.00	\$1.80
5-6 feet	\$2.50	\$2.00
6-8 feet	\$5.00	\$4.00

GRAPES

Concord

Blue black, mid-season, good quality, medium to large cluster and berries, widely adaptable to locality, excellent for juices and jellies.

Niagara

White, mid-season, good quality, medium to large clusters and berries, a good eastern white grape.

Brighton

Red, mid-season, high quality, medium to large cluster and berries, excellent for eating, a good local market grape. It is sterile and must be planted with another variety for pollination.

Sheridan

Black, late, good quality, medium to large cluster and berry, does best on fertile heavier soils and must be pruned severely.

Fredonia

Blue black, early, good quality, medium to large cluster and berries, excellent early commercial variety.

Schuyler

Early black grape which produces large clusters. It is an American-European hybrid and shows promise as a red wine grape and for table use.

Steuben

A late midseason black grape ripening with Concord, Vigorous, productive and winter hardy. The clusters are long, compact and tapering and the fruit is sweet. It shows some promise as a red wine grape.

Prices:

<i>Grade</i>	1-9	10-24	25-49	50-99	Over 100
1 yr.	\$0.75	\$0.65	\$0.50	\$0.40	\$0.30
2 yr.	\$0.85	\$0.75	\$0.60	\$0.50	\$0.40

RASPBERRIES

Latham

Midseason, red variety, producing a good crop of large fruits. One of the popular commercial varieties.

Prices:

	5	10	25
1 year	\$1.75	\$2.75	\$5.00

EVERBEARING RASPBERRIES

September

A new everbearing variety which ripens its summer crop in July. It is medium firm, bright red and shows no tendency to crumble. The fall crop is excellent in quality and ripens well before frost. A good variety for the home garden.

Prices:

	5	10	25
1 year	\$2.00	\$3.50	\$7.00

BLACKBERRY

Jerseyblack

A vigorous thorny, semi-trailing, medium to large, high quality, firm blackberry. Ripens the latter part of July in central Jersey. Recently introduced by New Jersey Experiment Station.

Prices:

	5	10	25
1 year	\$3.00	\$5.00	\$10.00

BLUEBERRIES

Earliblue

Early, high bush, high quality, productive, vigorous, firm, large berry.

Blueray

Midseason, large sized, high bushed, vigorous, productive, good quality berry.

Jersey

Late, vigorous, high bush, very productive, high quality berry. Plant has beautiful summer and fall foliage.

Prices:

3 yr. 18-24"	1-9	10-24	25-100
3 or more branches	\$1.90	\$1.40	\$1.20

STRAWBERRIES—For Spring Deliveries Only

*Plants of the varieties marked with * are from virus free plants, grown under a rigid pest control program and are producing apparently virus free plants.*

***Midland**

Early, large, productive, firm high quality, bright red berry. Red throughout making an excellent frozen product. Not as vigorous as Sparkle but vigorous enough to produce good crops of fine berries.

***Catskill**

Early midseason ripening with Redcrop. A large, good quality, vigorous, bright colored berry, recommended highly for northern berry growing.

***Sparkle (N. J. No. 312)**

Midseason, a medium sized, high quality, very productive, firm, bright, attractive berry. A prolific plant maker. It makes a good frozen product.

***Jerseybelle (N. J. 7A)**

Midseason to late, very large, very firm, attractive orange red berry. First berries have attractive double cap. It is a good yielder and shipping berry as proven in New Jersey.

Prices:

25	50	100	250	500	1000
\$1.50	\$2.50	\$4.00	\$8.50	\$12.00	\$19.00

*****20% Discount on orders of 500 or more strawberry plants of one variety, if called for and taken, as dug from the field. Field run plants will not be shipped, express or parcel post.**

Plants shipped parcel post at your request will be packed free of charge and approximate postal charges should be included as listed below:

Parcel Post Charges:

25 plants	Zones 1 and 2 (150 mi.)	add 30c postage
50 plants	Zones 1 and 2 (150 mi.)	add 40c postage
100 plants	Zones 1 and 2 (150 mi.)	add 50c postage
250 plants	Zones 1 and 2 (150 mi.)	add 60c postage
500 plants	Zones 1 and 2 (150 mi.)	add \$1.25 postage
1000 plants	Zones 1 and 2 (150 mi.)	add \$1.75 postage

If postal rates are increased please add extra postage

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Date, 19

TO C. H. STEELMAN FRUIT NURSERY

R.D. No. 3, Princeton, New Jersey:

☐ Fall

I would like to place an order for the following:

☐ Spring[illegible]

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Signed.....

Address.....

I will call for the trees at the Nursery.....
when notified they are ready.

Please ship the trees to:

Enclosed find Check for.....
 Money order

Make checks and money orders payable to C. H. Steelman

